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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

5 In re application of: Tara Chand Singhal)
Serial No: 10/091,882) Art Unit
Filed: 03/06/2002) 3692
10 For: Method and Apparatus for)
Restaurant Payment System)
Examiner: Maguire, Lindsay M.)
15 Attorney Docket: 11195.41)

20 **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO Office Action dated 01-22-2008**

Commissioner for Patents
P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

25 This response is to the office action of 01/22/2008 having a shortened statutory period of response of three months.

This response is being timely filed within the statutory period of three months from the date of the office action that is on or before 4/22/2008. The Application, as amended,
30 is believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reexamination, reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims are respectfully requested.

35 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on April 22/2008 by
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